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January 14, 2015

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FROM:

(b) (6)

Constituent Services Representative
Flemington District Office of Congressman Leonard Lance
Email Address: (b) (6)

SUBJECT:

Congressional Inquiry: (b) (6)

Based on our telephone conversation today, attached as you requested is Congressman Lance's letter to the Department of the Navy requesting assistance regarding (b) (6) case.

I have also attached a copy of (b) (6) signed Privacy Authorization Form and supporting document, which were previously provided in my fax to the Navy regarding (b) (6) case sent on January 13, 2015.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter and look forward to receiving your response. My contact information is as follows: email address: (b) (6) phone number: 908-788-6900; fax number: 908-788-2869. Thank you.

5 pages are being transmitted, including this cover sheet.

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January 14, 2015

Office of Legislative and Congressional Affairs
U. S. Department of the Navy
Washington, DC

Dear Congressional Liaison:

I was recently contacted by a constituent (b) (6) requesting assistance in obtaining a copy of the January 18, 1991 Deck Log of the USS Wisconsin (BB-64). (b) (6) is applying for VA benefits and is requesting this information to support his VA claim.

I have attached for your review a copy of (b) (6) signed Privacy Authorization Form, along with supporting documents that provide additional details concerning (b) (6) case.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter. Kindly forward your response to my Constituent Services Representative, (b) (6) in my Flemington, NJ District Office located at 361 Route 31, Unit 1400, Flemington, NJ 08822. (b) (6) contact information is as follows: telephone number - 908-788-6900; fax number 908-788-2869; email address (b) (6)

Sincerely,

Leonard Lance
Member of Congress

Attachments

The Privacy Act of 1974 requires that written consent be obtained from the constituent in whose name the records are held, before information can be disclosed from a Government Agency. Therefore, in order for me to act on your behalf, I would appreciate you signing the following authorization and returning it. If you have Power of Attorney or Guardianship, please provide proof. In the event you are inquiring on behalf of someone else, it is necessary that they sign the authorization form.

This is to authorize you to request for your assistance

(b) (6)

aining to my

Signature:

PLEASE PRINT

(b) (6)

Dec. 8, 2014

Senator Bucco
75 Bloomfield Ave.
Suite 302
3rd Floor
Denville NJ 07834

(b) (6)

*Deck Log needed for
January 18, 1991.*

Good Day Senator Bucco,

I am in need of some assistance and am writing this letter not only to you but also Congressman Lance, Senator Menendez and Assemblyman Bucco. I believe in strength in numbers.

My name is (b) (6). I am the Commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2347 in Netcong NJ and I believe I have met you at one of the events in Netcong. I am writing this letter to you as I am trying to apply for disability with the V.A. and am having some trouble. I am trying to obtain Deck Logs pertaining to the day of the incident while I was on board the USS Wisconsin (BB-64) in Desert Storm, January of 1991. I have recurring nightmares and loose sleep over the matter as well as have anxiety attacks because of the dreams. I have replied to the initial email I received from them, Naval History and Heritage Command, 3 times and have never had a response back. I know I will have some wait time with the V.A. but I have not gotten that far yet, the NHHC is holding me up. I hope you can help with this matter and thank you for your time and assistance.

(b) (6)

Naval Historical Center
Ships History Branch
805 Kidder Breeze St. S.E.
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(b) (6)



August 7, 2014

Naval Historical Center-

My name is (b) (5) I served aboard the USS Wisconsin (BB-64) during the 1991 Gulf War and under the Freedom of Information Act I am requesting copies of the Ships Deck Logs for the USS Wisconsin (BB-64) starting 0000 hrs. 16 January 1991. to 0000 hrs 16 February 1991. I am searching for an incident that occurred during the war but I am not sure of the day. You can contact me by phone or email. I look forward to hearing from you.

(b) (6)



Navigation Department
USS Wisconsin (BB-64)